<u>471-000-536 Nebraska Medicaid Hospice Fee Schedule</u>: The following fee schedule reflects Nebraska Medicaid payment rates for Hospice services provided October 1, 2009 through September 30, 2010.

The Medicaid Allowable Rates listed below are based on the federal Hospice Wage Index weights, effective October 1, 2009 through September 30, 2010, which reflect local differences in wages and are based on the Core Based Statistical Areas (CBSA) code associated with each geographic area. The CBSA codes and the Hospice Wage Index weights may be found in Notice CMS-1420-F on the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) website at http://www.cms.hhs.gov/center/hospice.asp

<u>CBSA</u> 30700	Lincoln, NE	Hospice Wage Index 1.0302
Code T2042 T2043 T2044 T2045	Description Hospice Routine Home Care Hospice Continuous Care Hospice Inpatient Respite Care Hospice General Inpatient Care	Medicaid Allowable Rate \$146.06 per diem \$ 35.49 per hour \$158.15 per diem \$648.17 per diem
CBSA 36540	Omaha, Council Bluffs, NE-IA	Hospice Wage Index 0.9966
Code T2042 T2043 T2044 T2045	Description Hospice Routine Home Care Hospice Continuous Care Hospice Inpatient Respite Care Hospice General Inpatient Care	Medicaid Allowable Rate \$142.76 per diem \$ 34.68 per hour \$155.32 per diem \$634.34 per diem
CBSA		Hospice Wage Index
43580	Sioux City, IA-NE-SD	0.9411
Code T2042 T2043 T2044 T2045	Description Hospice Routine Home Care Hospice Continuous Care Hospice Inpatient Respite Care Hospice General Inpatient Care	
Code T2042 T2043 T2044	Description Hospice Routine Home Care Hospice Continuous Care Hospice Inpatient Respite Care	Medicaid Allowable Rate \$137.30 per diem \$ 33.36 per hour \$150.64 per diem